









## FALL VARIETIES.

**PATTEN'S GREENING**—An apple originating in Northeastern Iowa, which has proven hardy and productive throughout Minnesota and the Dakotas. It has the approval of all the State Horticultural Societies of the Northwest. It is large, of fine quality and grows with vigor. Season October to December.

**WEALTHY**—This apple has been widely grown and tried. It succeeds wherever apples can be grown. It is vigorous and productive of beautiful fruit of fine quality. If picked with care and properly stored it will keep until February, though ordinarily its season is from October to December.

**HIBERNAL**—Large, red striped, very sour, September and October. Extremely hardy, valuable as a stock for top-working.

**FAMEUSE**. (Snow Apple)—Medium size, roundish; crimson, sometimes striped in Northern localities. Flesh snowy white; very tender, fine, juicy, mild, sub-acid; one of the finest dessert fruits. Hardy and prolific. Very popular. October and December.

## WINTER SORTS.

**GAÑO**—Fruit is bright red on yellow ground, with no stripes; large, oblong, surface smooth, polished; dots minute; basin shallow, sometimes deep; eye large, cavity deep; brown in color; stem medium to long; core medium. Tree healthy, vigorous and prolific bearer. January to April.

**BEN DAVIS**—Large, smooth, nearly covered with red; sub-acid, one of the best market sorts. Tree vigorous and healthy and while not the hardiest, it rarely ever dies in debt to the planter. Bears young and is very prolific. A long keeper.

**NORTHWESTERN GREENING**—This is the hardiest Winter apple with which I am acquainted. It has withstood all vicissitudes of cold since its introduction, does not blight, is vigorous and productive of large fruit of excellent quality, which with fair treatment, will keep all Winter.

**WOLF RIVER**—This apple originated in Wisconsin, and has been largely and profitably grown throughout the Northwest. It is very hardy and vigorous. The largest and most showy fruit at the St. Louis Exposition was of this variety. Season December to January.

**MALINDA**—This fine late keeper has flourished and borne fruit in Minnesota and Northern Iowa for more than twenty years, and has proven harder than any other long keeper. Fruit medium, conical, yellow, fine-grained and nearly sweet.

**IOWA BLUSH**—Medium or small, roundish, greenish-yellow with red blush, mild and very good. December to March. Valuable for home use; very hardy and productive.

**SALOME**—Large, round, yellow and red, mild and good. December to April. Yearly and annual bearer. Tree a strong grower and hardy.

**WALBRIDGE**—Medium size; handsome, pale yellow, striped with red; crisp, a late keeper; tree very vigorous, extremely hardy. January to May.

## CRAB APPLES.

**TRANSCENDENT**—Tree immensely productive, bearing early. Fruit from one and a half to two inches in diameter. Skin yellow, striped with red. September to October.

**WHITNEY**—This is as large as some varieties of apples, very fine growing tree, extremely productive, quality best. Season September.

**BRIAR'S SWEET**—There is no entirely hardy sweet apple, but by growing a variety of sweet crab one can get an abundance of sweet fruit for pickling or preserving. Tree vigorous, fruit large, of rich quality. September.

Of the above listed apple trees I offer two sizes. Three years, 5-6 feet, 30 cents each; \$2.75 per ten; \$25.00 per hundred. Two year, 4-5 feet, 20 cents each. *1500 per 100*

I can furnish other varieties of apples. Write for prices on sort desired.

## CHERRY AND PLUM TREES.

**EARLY RICHMOND CHERRY**—This old and favorite variety bears heavily, beginning when the tree is young and small. Fine trees 4 to 5 feet, 25 cents each. \$2.75 per dozen.

**LARGE MONTMORENCY CHERRY**—Tree very hardy and an immense bearer; commences to fruit while young. Fruit very large, fine flavor, and of bright, clear, shining red; valuable everywhere; a week later than Early Richmond. Fine trees, 4 to 5 feet, 25 cents each; \$2.75 per dozen.

**DE SOTO PLUM**—This plum, which originated at De Soto, Wisconsin, about twenty miles from this place, is the leading plum throughout the United States. It is not surpassed for hardiness, quality and productiveness. Its only fault is that it overbears and the fruit should be thinned when too abundant, to maintain its usual size.

**WOLF PLUM**—This plum is a free-stone, larger than the De Soto, darker in color, and later in season than that variety. It is a very vigorous grower, and bears heavily of fruit which always sells well.

Price for either variety of plum, 4-5 feet, 25 cents each; \$2.75 per dozen.

## CURRENTS.

Two Year  
per doz. per 100

**FAY'S PROLIFIC**—The largest fruited variety, bunches long, productive, quality good, plants of moderate growth, requiring good soil; a very popular kind. .... \$ 1 00 \$ 6 00

**VICTORIA**—An erect grower, large bright red, bunches very long, late, productive, valuable. This currant prolongs the season fully two weeks, and is the most vigorous grower of all. .... 1 00 6 00

**WHITE GRAPE**—This is the currant of all others that should be in the family garden, not only for its handsome appearance, but its fine quality. Its bunches are extremely long, berries large, of a beautiful translucent white and excellent flavor. The largest and decidedly the best white variety. .... 1 00 6 00

## GOOSEBERRIES.

**HOUGHTON**—Of American origin. Most vigorous and productive. Requires rich soil and good feeding. Hardy and succeeds everywhere. .... 1 25 9 00

## GRAPE VINES.

The varieties I list are not many in number, but comprise the best, and will please those who wish fruit rather than fruitless experiments.

Two Year  
per doz. per 100

**WYOMING RED**—A red grape of large size, handsome clusters and fine appearance, of superior quality and ripens early. A good grower, productive and a very promising variety. The best red grape. .... \$ 75 \$ 5 00

**CONCORD**—Well known everywhere and one of the most reliable grapes. .... 60 4 00



<b>NIAGARA</b> —The great white grape, the most valuable of its kind introduced. Bunches large and compact, color pale green at first, changing to pale yellow when fully ripe.....	75	5 00
<b>WORDEN</b> —An improved Concord, being larger in both bunch and berry, handsome, nearly two weeks earlier and of better quality. As it is difficult to propagate, many vines of Concord are sold for it.....	75	5 00

## RED RASPBERRY PLANTS.

Per 100 Per 1000

<b>MILLER</b> —Bright red color, which holds after picking, bringing the highest market rates. Stout, healthy, vigorous grower. Berries large, hold their size to end of the season; round, core small, do not crumble; the best shipper; rich fruity flavor. Commences to ripen with the earliest; is very productive and of ironclad hardiness.....	\$ 1 00	\$ 8 00
<b>CUTHBERT</b> —A strong grower, productive, fruit large, red, fine quality, season medium till very late; good for market or home use. A standard and valuable variety.....	1 00	8 00
<b>TURNER</b> —This is the hardest variety, a strong grower free from any ailments, always on hand with a crop of fruit of the best quality, fine bright color, long season of fruiting, a favorite everywhere.....	1 00	8 00

## BLACK VARIETIES.—Tip Plants.

Black raspberry tip plants should go by express.

Per 100 Per 1000

<b>CUMBERLAND</b> —The largest of all Black-caps. A healthy, vigorous grower, throwing up stout, stocky, well-branched canes that produce immense crops of magnificent berries. Fruit very large, firm, keeps and ships as well as any of the blacks—the most profitable market variety.....	\$ 1 50	\$12 00
<b>HILBORN</b> —Early in ripening. Fruit jet black, nearly as large as Gregg and better flavor, a strong grower, perfectly hardy, few thorns and very productive. Very showy and brings highest price in market.....	1 25	10 00

## BLACKBERRIES.

<b>SNYDER</b> —Extremely hardy, enormously productive, medium size; no hard, sour core; sweet and juicy. The leading variety when hardiness is the consideration. Early.....	\$ 1 25	\$10 00
<b>TAYLOR</b> —Berries of fine flavor, larger than Snyder. Canes of vigorous growth, ironclad hardiness and wonderfully prolific. Ripens late, fine companion for Snyder in cold sections.....	1 25	10 00
<b>WESTERN TRIUMPH</b> —Very hardy and prolific, ripens early. Fruit of medium size, good quality. It is largely grown in Canada, where a hardy variety is required. Good for home use.....	1 5	10 00

## STRAWBERRIES.

STRAWBERRY PLANTS sent out by me have all dead leaves and run-



ners removed and roots straightened, so that they weigh much less than the plants that are usually sold, making a great saving in expressage, and they are much easier to plant.

I test the new varieties and list only those I think of actual value. Most new kinds are worthless for general cultivation. Those I recommend do well without petting.

If plants are desired by mail 25 cents per 100 must be added to the price given to cover postage. No plants by mail at 1,000 rates.

The varieties marked "P" are pistillate, and REQUIRE TO BE FERTILIZED, by having some perfect flowering variety planted in every third row. All varieties not so marked are perfect in blossom and may be planted alone.

All plants sent out by me are grown in new beds which have never been weakened by fruiting, but are grown for plants only.

Only well rooted plants are sent out, all old or imperfect plants being excluded. Strawberry plants should go by express.

**BEDER WOOD**—This is a very desirable early berry for either home or near market. Its blossom is perfect. The berry is round, or regular form, bright scarlet, and of good quality. A great bearer.....\$ 50 \$ 3 50

**BRANDYWINE**—The plant is remarkable vigorous, healthy and prolific, berries very large, heart shape, firm, a good shipper, colors evenly. Begins to ripen in mid-season and continues a long time..... 50 4 00

**CRESCENT (P)**—Valuable by reason of its succeeding with but little care and even under neglect. Excessively productive, a vigorous, slender grower, matting the ground closely with runners, which for the best results should be thinned out. Berries are medium in size, attractive scarlet, of fair quality. For a local market it is a very profitable sort to grow. Early..... 40 3 50

**LOVETT**—Plant vigorous, healthy and productive, ripens first, fruits very early and continues a long time; fruit large, very firm, good shipper, bright crimson color and a very fine flavor; an excellent pollinizer, valuable in every respect..... 50 3 50

**PARSON'S BEAUTY**—A good healthy grower and immense cropper of large solid berries of good form, color and quality. There is probably not a variety in existence that will outyield it, or one that is more reliable..... 50 4 00

**PHILLIPS**—A new variety which yields heavily. Berries uniform in size, large and of excellent quality. Season medium to late..... 50 3 50

**SAMPLE (P)**—It is of large size, quite firm, commences to ripen mid-season and continues to very late, keeping up a continual supply of large berries to the end. The foliage is large and healthy, fruit of good quality..... 50 4 50

**SEAFORD (P)**—One of the largest fruited varieties; a strong grower and productive; of excellent quality and a good shipper. Very promising..... 50 4 00

**SUTHERLAND (P)**—Very vigorous; an abundant bearer of finely colored and flavored fruit. Good for canning and an excellent shipper..... 50 4 00

**SENATOR DUNLAP**—No variety has been more thoroughly tested in all sections of the country during the past five seasons than this. The plants are not large, but deep rooted, bright glossy green, without a sign of disease and will grow anywhere, and with most any



kind of treatment. It is very productive and usually matures every berry, and they are of medium to large, regular size and shape, bright glossy red, a good shipper of extra quality.....

50 3 50

**WARFIELD (P)**—Succeeds everywhere and has become one of the leading market berries. It is of good size, excellent flavor, dark red color, firm, one of the very best shippers, commands the best prices in the market. Vigorous grower, perfectly healthy, ripens after Crescent, extremely productive.....

40 3 50

## SPECIAL OFFERS.

For **ONE DOLLAR** I will furnish 250 strawberry plants in three varieties. **YOUR SELECTION** from the above list.

For **ONE DOLLAR** I will send 175 strawberry plants, 3 varieties, **BY MAIL, PREPAID**.

## HYBRID PERPETUAL ROSES.

The Hybrid Perpetuals are among the most valuable of all Roses for cold climates, being hardy. The flowers of this class are very double and of immense size, delightfully fragrant, and of the most gorgeous colors, but no shade of yellow. The plant is strong, vigorous grower, requiring but little attention, though protection in the Winter in exposed places is necessary. They are much improved in size and beauty by good cultivation and rich soil.

The Roses which I offer are large, two-year, field grown plants. You can't buy them elsewhere for twice the price I ask. Prices of all Roses 25 cents each, \$2.50 per dozen.

**PAUL NEYRON**—Bright clear pink; extra large and double; free bloomer; vigorous.

**MARGARET DICKSON**—White, with pale flesh colored center; a magnificent rose.

**PRINCE CAMILLE DE ROHAN**—Very dark, rich velvety crimson, shaded black. The best dark rose.

**GEN. JACQUEMINOT**—Everybody knows the "Jack" rose to be the standard bright colored perpetual.

**CRIMSON RAMBLER CLIMBER**—The plant is vigorous, making shoots from eight to ten feet long in a season. The flowers are grown in great pyramidal panicles, each carrying thirty to forty blooms; the individual flowers are one to one and one-half inches in diameter, and remain in perfect condition a long time. The color is a bright, vivid crimson, showing none of the purplish tint so common in crimson roses.

Do not permit roses to dry out after planting. Keep moist until they show leaves.

## HARDY FLOWERING SHRUBS.

**TREE HONEYSUCKLE—TARTARICA**—Pink flowers contrasting beautifully with the foliage; blooms in June.

Large field grown specimens, 25 cents each.

**LILAC—LARGE FLOWERING WHITE**—A beautiful variety; has very large pure white panicles of flowers.

**PURPLE**—The well known variety, one of the best. A good grower; flowers and young wood fragrant; purple.

Large field grown specimens of either variety 25 cents each.

**HYDRANGEA—PANICULATA GRANDIFLORA**—The grandest as well as most popular of all shrubs. Unsurpassed for the lawn, as a hedge or for cemetery planting. It readily attains a height of 5 to 7 feet; hardy



in all localities, needs no protection in winter; blooms every season in July and August and continues in bloom for two or three months; the flower panicles are massive, cone-shaped, often measuring 10 inches in length, and have a pleasing variation of color, changing from the original pure white to pink.

Large field grown plants 25 cents each.

**SYRINGA**—Of vigorous habit, very hardy, with large, handsome foliage, and beautiful white flowers, produced in the greatest profusion at the blossoming season. It merits a prominent place in all collections of shrubbery.

Large field grown specimens 25 cents each.

**SNOWBALL**—A well known favorite shrub, with globular pure white sterile flowers, the latter part of May. Each larger than a pure white snow ball. This is popular, and justly so, easily grown and attractive.

Price 25 cents for large field grown plants.

**SPIREA VAN HOUTTE**—The grandest of all the Spireas; it is a beautiful ornament for the lawn at any season, but when in flower it is a complete fountain of white bloom, the foliage hardly showing. Strong 2 and 3 year old plants 25 cents each.

**WEIGELIA ROSEA**—One of the most conspicuous shrubs that we cultivate; flowers pink. It is admirably adapted to small lawns or gardens.

Large field grown plants 25 cents each.

**CLEMATIS PANICULATA**—The finest vine grown, entirely hardy, growing from the root each season. Very vigorous when established, one vine will cover one hundred square feet of surface; foliage dark glossy green, never blighting and insect proof. The vine is covered with white flowers in September. Strong vines 25 cents each, \$2.50 per dozen.

**GLADIOLUS BULBS**—If you wish lots of flowers in Summer, at small expense, plant Gladiolus. No insect pests trouble them, the bulbs are easily kept over Winter like potatoes and with little care of the offsets increase rapidly. The bulbs I offer are extra large and will give much larger spikes and more abundant bloom than those ordinarily sold. Fine, named kinds, mixed, 25 cents per dozen; \$2.00 per 100.

## EVERGREENS.

**AMERICAN ARBOR VITAE, SCOTCH PINE, WHITE PINE, NORWAY SPRUCE**—The above varieties are those best adapted to culture in the Northwest. I offer transplanted trees of either kind, 12 to 18 inches, 15 cents each; 18 to 24 inches, 20 cents each; 2 to 3 feet, 30 cents each.

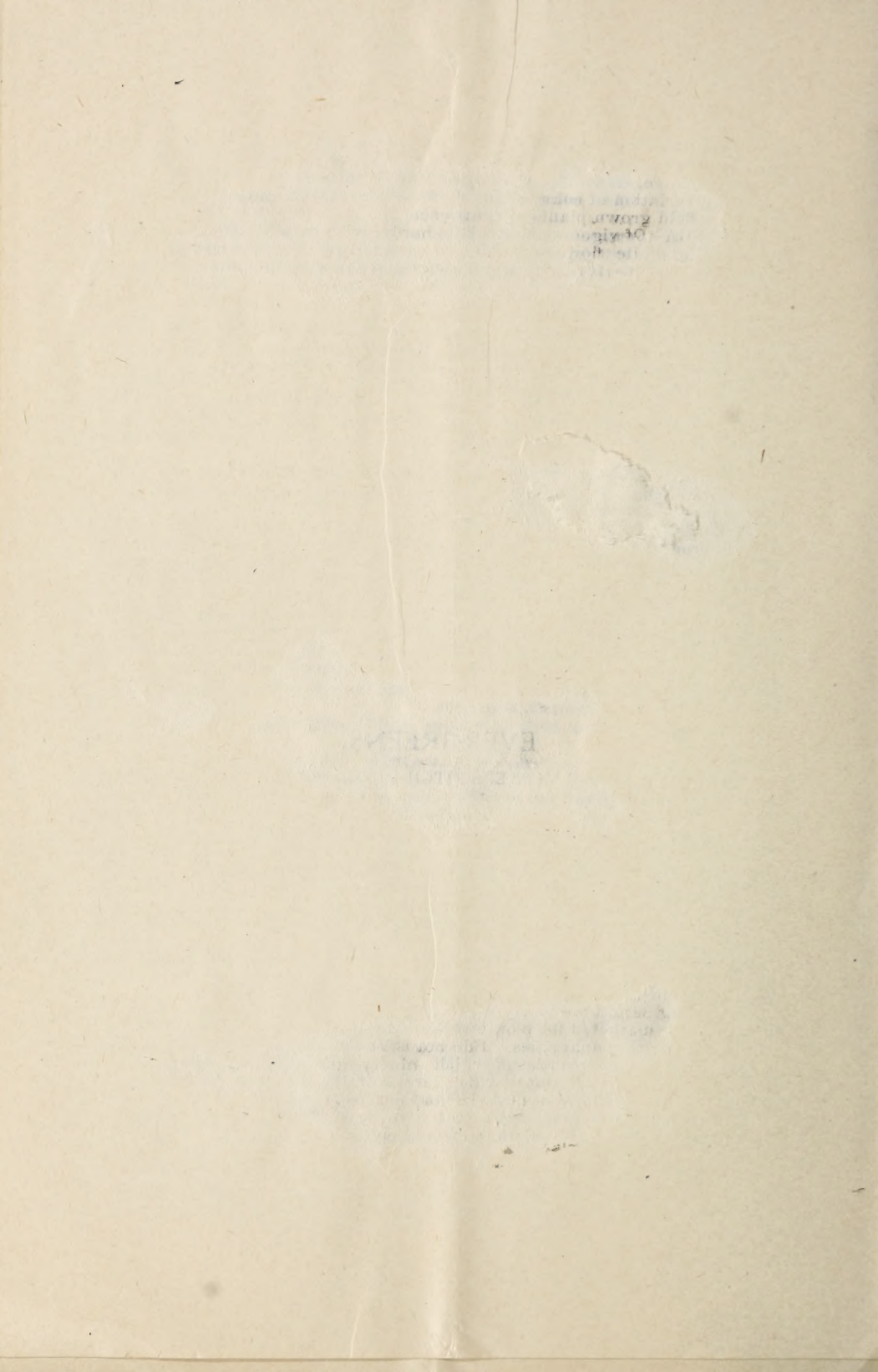
I do not recommend Fall Planting of any nursery stock, or of small fruits, as unless handled, and planted carefully, success cannot be expected, and I do not issue any Fall list; yet if desired I will furnish any stock described in this list, at prices named, after October 15th.

If any mistakes occur, notice must be given within ten days after the arrival of plants.

I might fill volumes with testimonials which I have received praising the plants which I have sold, but I prefer to let the plants which I send speak for themselves, rather than make up a catalogue in that way.

In closing permit me to say that I have a large fruit farm. Growing as I do, fruit for market, I keep only those varieties that are productive, and grow them in great quantities. I do not issue an expensive catalogue, nor do I list high priced novelties of which ninety-nine in every hundred are worthless, but I furnish plants which are suitable for general cultivation and only those which are of first size and quality.

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directions for cultivation in this list, but I furnish full instructions with each order. **ORDER EARLY**, as the rush during the season is great. Address all orders to

JOHN F. DAYTON,  
Waukon, Allamakee County, Iowa.

## POULTRY DEPARTMENT.

The greatest profits in business come from what are known as "intensive methods", by which everything is utilized.

The best farm combination which I know of, is the growing of fruit and poultry together. Before and after fruit ripening the chickens keep the worms and bugs from devouring the plants; they furnish the most valuable fertilizer, and large returns can be obtained from a small investment in land, plants, and eggs or fowls.

## BARRED PLYMOUTH ROCKS.

The Barred Plymouth Rocks are to-day the most popular and best known variety of pure bred poultry in the world. They are without doubt the best general-purpose fowl. They are good layers, excellent for table purposes, and are very healthy and hardy.

I offer eggs from nine selected pens, all birds scored; containing Prize Winners at exhibits at Rockford and Rochelle, Illinois; Iowa State Shows; Oskaloosa and Ames, Iowa.

Either Pullet or Cockerel breeding at \$1.00 per 15. Why pay five times as much for eggs from inferior birds?

## WHITE PLYMOUTH ROCKS.

Excepting in plumage, the White Plymouth Rock is an exact counterpart of the Barred variety. As market fowls and for table purposes the White Plymouth Rocks stand the best. The chicks are very hardy and vigorous and mature young. I have one of the best flocks of White Plymouth Rocks in this country and am in a position to please the most exacting customer. The fowls that I am breeding from this season score as follows: Hens and pullets, 92 to 95 points; cocks and cockerels, from 92 to 95 points. Prize winners at Rochester and Dubuque.

7GGS—Per 15, \$1.00.

## SINGLE COMB WHITE LEGHORN

Whenever hens are kept exclusively for eggs, the variety of fowls is always the single-comb White Leghorn, which is the great egg producer.

They are non-sitters, neat foragers, and one of the most beautiful of all fowls. My birds are large and pure white, and all reeding stock score high.

EGGS—Per 15, \$1.00.

I guarantee all eggs shipped by me to be true to name. I give my stock the expert care that insures fertile eggs. In case 8 in each 15 eggs do not hatch, I will duplicate the original order at one-half price (excepting when eggs are sold at reduced prices).

**STOCK FOR SALE** at all times. Write for what you want and I will quote a reasonable price.

JOHN F. DAYTON, Waukon, Iowa.